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1849—Maria Edgeworth, English novel-  
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1904—Sortie of the Russian garrison at  
Port Arthur, led by General Stoessel,  
defeated the Japanese besiegers,  
inflicting a loss of 1,000 men.

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and lecturer and United States con-  
sul at Bordeaux, died; born 1838.

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Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:33; moon rises  
12:40 a. m.; sun's declination, 20.3 de-  
grees north of celestial equator.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and cooler.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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Hindoo fakirs; detachments of cavalry  
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men of the universe; Mexican, Indian  
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The two eggs laid by a pigeon al-  
most invariably produce male and fe-  
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The field artillery board of the United  
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Fort Riley, Kan., has recently conclud-  
ed one of the most interesting and at  
the same time thorough tests of ammu-  
nition for field artillery that have tak-  
en place in the United States. For the  
past two years the army has been ex-  
perimenting with a high explosive  
shrapnel and shell with a view of in-  
creasing the killing power of the for-  
mer and the destructive qualities of the  
latter. The ammunition used in this  
test, which occupied a week, was the  
product of a German firm.

There were many features of the  
firing which were spectacular and of  
great interest to the layman. From  
vantage points on the reservation and  
safe beyond the danger zone the flights  
of the shells could be plainly heard  
and the bursting of the many shells  
could be seen as they hit about the  
targets or, striking them, tore them to  
pieces.

The terrific power of this new ammu-  
nition was plainly demonstrated, says  
a Fort Riley correspondent of the Kan-  
sas City Star, and the tests, which  
were conducted under the personal su-  
pervision of the members of the board,  
proved successful beyond the fondest  
expectations.

The first target to be attacked repre-  
sented infantry in column on the  
march. Eight board targets, each forty  
yards long, two yards high and of inch  
planking, were arranged one after the  
other and twenty-five yards apart.  
Both shrapnel and shell were used on  
these targets from a distance of 3,000  
yards. The shells were exploded over  
these targets in order that the flying  
pieces would go downward. After the  
first shot the targets were riddled like  
a sieve, showing what the chance  
would be for a column of troops mov-  
ing in the open in the face of such a  
fire.

Another type of target was a shielded  
gun and caisson, with a caisson chest  
loaded with shrapnel and shell and  
with five dummy cannoneers at their  
posts. The firing was begun from a  
range of about 4,000 yards, with the  
artillery finally moving up to within  
about 2,000 yards of the target. The  
rain of well directed shots literally tore  
the target in pieces. It was set on fire,  
and many of the shells in the caisson  
chest were exploded. The cannoneers  
were "killed," the dummies having  
been hit many times. The object of  
this fire was to ascertain what protec-  
tion there was afforded by a shielded  
gun and caisson.

The third target on the programme  
was made up of two stone walls, each  
six yards long, three yards high and  
one yard thick. It was assumed that  
these targets sheltered troops, and the  
object was to destroy this shelter as  
well as to burst the shells over them  
and reach the troops assumed to be  
behind them. These walls were razed  
in short order. The second wall was  
destroyed by five shots of the high ex-  
plosive.

Corporal Edward Peterson of Bat-  
tery C was complimented by the board  
for his remarkable marksmanship. The  
terrific bursting power of this high ex-  
plosive ammunition was shown on that  
day's firing. Pieces of shell were  
thrown half a mile. One piece struck  
a man working in a stone quarry on  
the reservation with sufficient force to  
cut through his shoe and into his foot.  
Another piece of the same shell struck  
a dinner pail in this quarry.

### BUTTERCUP PICKING PERIL.

Philadelphia Physician Says There Is  
Disease in the Perfume.

That the picking of buttercups is in-  
jurious to the health of children is the  
belief of Dr. W. W. Chalfante of Phil-  
adelphia. Dr. Chalfante declares that  
in many instances so called cases of  
measles are not measles at all, but are  
the effects of the gathering of butter-  
cups and the inhaling of their per-  
fume.

"In Germany and Holland there are  
laws forbidding the growing and pick-  
ing of buttercups," said the physician  
the other day, "and the punishment is  
severe, I understand, to the violator.  
The reason for this law was that the  
abundance of buttercups in those coun-  
tries was such that epidemics of but-  
tercup fever came regularly, and in  
some cases the disease proved fatal.

"I am going to use my energies and  
influence to have a like law passed in  
Philadelphia."

England's Discreet Premier.  
Herbert Henry Asquith, England's  
new prime minister, was recently  
speaking in a Welsh town when he  
was somewhat rudely interrupted, says  
Youth's Companion, by a voice in the  
audience which demanded to know his  
position as to woman suffrage.

"That," Mr. Asquith replied blandly,  
"is a subject I prefer to discuss when  
ladies are not present."

Want Beauty?—Wear Sandals.  
As soon as the weather clears the  
members of the Women's Physical Cul-  
ture club in Cleveland, O., are to take  
walks in sandals in country roads and  
woods. Mrs. E. E. Roney, the head of  
the club, says, "Wearing sandals made  
the maidens of ancient Greece the most  
beautiful the world has produced."

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We have a line of summer Shirt Waists  
Suits which we would like to show you.  
These are very pretty suits and as there  
are few things more restrut than to have  
a cool dress ready for a hot day we advise  
you to come and make selection now. We  
take pleasure in showing these goods  
whether you are ready to purchase or not.

Come and bring your friends and nigh-  
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Respectfully, L. J. CALE

### BODY OF MRS. GUNNESS.

Coroner Declares It Is One of Those  
Found in Ruins of Home.

Laporte, Ind., May 21.—"It is my  
verdict that the body so viewed is  
that of Mrs. Bella Guinness, and she  
came to her death through felonious  
homicide and that the perpetrator  
thereof is to me unknown."

Such was the verdict rendered by  
Coroner C. S. Mack. The official  
declaration that the body of the adult  
female found in the ruins of the fire  
of April 28, which destroyed the home  
of Mrs. Bella Guinness, was that of  
Mrs. Guinness, is the sequel to the re-  
port of Dr. I. P. Norton, Mrs. Gun-  
ness' dentist, that the bridges holding  
various false and gold filled teeth,  
were those of Mrs. Guinness. The of-  
ficial finding of the coroner will relieve  
the state's attorney of the necessity  
of proving in court, should occasion  
require, that Mrs. Guinness is dead.

Coroner Mack expects to file ver-  
dicts in the other deaths in a few  
days. This is the first official verdict  
in the Guinness case.

With the burial of the body of Jen-  
nie Olsen, the services at the grave  
being conducted by Rev. August John-  
son, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran  
church, the last of the identified dead  
exhumed from Mrs. Guinness' private  
cemetery was consigned to a sacred  
resting place. The sister and brother  
of the unfortunate girl, Sigward and  
Sarah Olsen of Chicago, were the only  
mourners.

All the officials continue to receive  
freak letters.

Sheriff Smutzer and Miner Schultz  
in sorting the tailings from the sluice  
box found a gentleman's large e-  
band ring, with the following engrav-  
ing "S. B., May 28, 1902." Officers  
believe this belonged to one of the  
first victims of the woman.

Sheriff Smutzer has received from  
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by Jennie Olsen one night about a  
year and a half ago when he stopped  
over night at the Guinness farm. The  
razor is an old Swedish make and  
scratched on one side with a knife is  
the name "T. Lind, Chicago," and on  
the reverse side three links, evidently  
made to represent the links of the  
Odd Fellows' emblem. The authori-  
ties have started an inquiry to ascer-  
tain if Lind was murdered.

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ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.  
Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:33; moon rises  
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bell Brothers Consolidated Shows will  
be a brilliant spectacle, consisting as it  
does of hundreds of high-spirited horses  
with their natty trimmings; South  
American Gauchos and Australian  
boomerang throwers; bright-eyed sen-  
oritas from Mexico; desert-born Be-  
douin Arabs; Japanese athletes and  
Hindoo fakirs; detachments of cavalry  
troopers of many flags; master horse-  
men of the universe; Mexican, Indian  
and American bands and strange Ori-  
ental music, of many nations, funny  
clowns with their funny mules and  
ponies and the magnificent cages con-  
taining the wild beasts of the desert  
and trained animals. In fact it is a  
parade that is in itself a grand and  
beautiful show. Everyone be sure and  
see it at 10 a. m.

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The two eggs laid by a pigeon al-  
most invariably produce male and fe-  
male. Some curious experiments as to  
which of the eggs produces the male  
and which the female have re-  
sulted in showing that the first egg  
laid is the female and the second the  
male.

## HIGH EXPLOSIVE TESTS

Terrific Power of New Shell  
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### ALL EXPECTATIONS EXCEEDED

Ammunition Made by German Firm  
Would Annihilate Infantry in the  
Field and Silence Other Batteries.  
Stout Stone Walls Quickly Razed.

The field artillery board of the United  
States army, which is stationed at  
Fort Riley, Kan., has recently con-  
cluded one of the most interesting and at  
the same time thorough tests of ammu-  
nition for field artillery that have tak-  
en place in the United States. For the  
past two years the army has been ex-  
perimenting with a high explosive  
shrapnel and shell with a view of in-  
creasing the killing power of the for-  
mer and the destructive qualities of  
the latter. The ammunition used in  
this test, which occupied a week, was  
the product of a German firm.

There were many features of the  
firing which were spectacular and of  
great interest to the layman. From  
vantage points on the reservation and  
safe beyond the danger zone the flights  
of the shells could be plainly heard  
and the bursting of the many shells  
could be seen as they hit about the  
targets or, striking them, tore them to  
pieces.

The terrific power of this new ammu-  
nition was plainly demonstrated, says  
a Fort Riley correspondent of the Kan-  
sas City Star, and the tests, which  
were conducted under the personal su-  
pervision of the members of the board,  
proved successful beyond the fondest  
expectations.

The first target to be attacked repre-  
sented infantry in column on the  
march. Eight board targets, each forty  
yards long, two yards high and of inch  
planking, were arranged one after the  
other and twenty-five yards apart.  
Both shrapnel and shell were used on  
these targets from a distance of 3,000  
yards. The shells were exploded over  
these targets in order that the flying  
pieces would go downward. After the  
first shot the targets were riddled like  
a sieve, showing what the chance  
would be for a column of troops mov-  
ing in the open in the face of such a  
fire.

Another type of target was a shielded  
gun and caisson, with a caisson chest  
loaded with shrapnel and shell and  
with five dummy cannoneers at their  
posts. The firing was begun from a  
range of about 4,000 yards, with the  
artillery finally moving up to within  
about 2,000 yards of the target. The  
rain of well directed shots literally tore  
the target in pieces. It was set on fire,  
and many of the shells in the caisson  
chest were exploded. The cannoneers  
were "killed," the dummies having  
been hit many times. The object of  
this fire was to ascertain what protec-  
tion there was afforded by a shielded  
gun and caisson.

The third target on the programme  
was made up of two stone walls, each  
six yards long, three yards high and  
one yard thick. It was assumed that  
these targets sheltered troops, and the  
object was to destroy this shelter as  
well as to burst the shells over them  
and reach the troops assumed to be  
behind them. These walls were razed  
in short order. The second wall was  
destroyed by five shots of the high ex-  
plosive.

Corporal Edward Peterson of Bat-  
tery C was complimented by the board  
for his remarkable marksmanship. The  
terrific bursting power of this high ex-  
plosive ammunition was shown on that  
day's firing. Pieces of shell were  
thrown half a mile. One piece struck  
a man working in a stone quarry on  
the reservation with sufficient force to  
cut through his shoe and into his foot.  
Another piece of the same shell struck  
a dinner pail in this quarry.

### BUTTERCUP PICKING PERIL.

Philadelphia Physician Says There Is  
Disease in the Perfume.

That the picking of buttercups is in-  
jurious to the health of children is the  
belief of Dr. W. W. Chalfante of Phil-  
adelphia. Dr. Chalfante declares that  
in many instances so called cases of  
measles are not measles at all, but are  
the effects of the gathering of butter-  
cups and the inhaling of their per-  
fume.

"In Germany and Holland there are  
laws forbidding the growing and pick-  
ing of buttercups," said the physician  
the other day, "and the punishment is  
severe, I understand, to the violator.  
The reason for this law was that the  
abundance of buttercups in those coun-  
tries was such that epidemics of but-  
tercup fever came regularly, and in  
some cases the disease proved fatal.

"I am going to use my energies and  
influence to have a like law passed in  
Philadelphia."

### England's Discreet Premier.

Herbert Henry Asquith, England's  
new prime minister, was recently  
speaking in a Welsh town when he  
was somewhat rudely interrupted, says  
Youth's Companion, by a voice in the  
audience which demanded to know his  
position as to woman suffrage.

"That," Mr. Asquith replied blandly,  
"is a subject I prefer to discuss when  
ladies are not present."

### Want Beauty?—Wear Sandals.

As soon as the weather clears the  
members of the Women's Physical Cul-  
ture club in Cleveland, O., are to take  
walks in sandals in country roads and  
woods. Mrs. E. E. Roney, the head of  
the club, says, "Wearing sandals made  
the maidens of ancient Greece the most  
beautiful the world has produced."

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take pleasure in showing these goods  
whether you are ready to purchase or not.

Come and bring your friends and neigh-  
bors

Respectfully, L. J. CALE

### BODY OF MRS. GUNNESS.

Coroner Declares It Is One of Those  
Found in Ruins of Home.

Laporte, Ind., May 21.—"It is my  
verdict that the body so viewed is  
that of Mrs. Bella Gunness, and she  
came to her death through felonious  
homicide and that the perpetrator  
thereof is to me unknown."

Such was the verdict rendered by  
Coroner C. S. Mack. The official  
declaration that the body of the adult  
female found in the ruins of the fire  
of April 28, which destroyed the home  
of Mrs. Bella Gunness, was that of  
Mrs. Gunness, is the sequel to the re-  
port of Dr. I. P. Norton, Mrs. Gun-  
ness' dentist, that the bridges holding  
various false and gold filled teeth,  
were those of Mrs. Gunness. The official  
finding of the coroner will relieve  
the state's attorney of the necessity  
of proving in court, should occasion  
require, that Mrs. Gunness is dead.

Coroner Mack expects to file ver-  
dicts on the other deaths in a few  
days. This is the first official verdict  
in the Gunness case.

With the burial of the body of Jen-  
nie Olsen, the services at the grave  
being conducted by Rev. August John-  
son, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran  
church, the last of the identified dead  
exhumed from Mrs. Gunness' private  
cemetery was consigned to a sacred  
resting place. The sister and brother  
of the unfortunate girl, Sigward and  
Sarah Olsen of Chicago, were the only  
mourners.

All the officials continue to receive  
freak letters.

Sheriff Smutzer and Miner Schultz  
in sorting the tailings from the sluice  
box found a gentleman's large e-  
band ring, with the following engrav-  
ing "S. B., May 28, 1902." Officers  
believe this belonged to one of the  
first victims of the woman.

Sheriff Smutzer has received from  
I. N. Youtsler of Casper, Wyo., a  
razor which he claims he was given  
by Jennie Olsen one night about a  
year and a half ago when he stopped  
over night at the Gunness farm. The  
razor is an old Swedish make and  
scratched on one side with a knife is  
the name "T. Lind, Chicago," and on  
the reverse side three links, evidently  
made to represent the links of the  
Odd Fellows' emblem. The authori-  
ties have started an inquiry to ascer-  
tain if Lind was murdered.

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like new.

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the place to get it is at our store.

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## BANKERS TO VISIT BRAINERD

Sixth District Group of Bankers will Meet Here Tuesday and Wednesday Next

## TO BANQUET AT RANSFORD

Interesting Program has Been Prepared—Cong. Lindbergh to be a Speaker

The committee of local bankers, consisting of Geo. D. LaBar, M. T. Dunn and F. A. Farrar, have things pretty well lined up for the meeting of the Sixth District group of bankers which will be held in this city next Tuesday and Wednesday.

The convention will open Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 the address of welcome being delivered by Mayor R. R. Wise, with a response by W. A. Shaw, president of the Clearwater State Bank. The annual address of the president of the association, an address on currency legislation, by Congressman Lindbergh, and addresses by W. E. Lee, of Long Prairie, and Fred I. Kent, of the First National of Chicago, will occupy the afternoon.

In the evening there will be a banquet given the visitors at the Ransford hotel. One of the committee states that owing to the limited capacity of the dining room it will be impossible to extend invitations to any of the local people except those who take part in the program.

Wednesday morning there will be a short business session after which the visitors will be taken through the Northern Pacific shops, by Superintendent J. P. Anderson.

## A Californian's Luck

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store.

## RAIN OR FAIR

Evangelist Daniels is Announced to Preach Tonight on the Question of "Profit and Loss"

A meeting is announced tonight at the Methodist Episcopal church, rain or shine, the service to find out just how many fair weather members there are in the church and community. At the service conducted last evening the pastor and several strangers gave short addresses and an enjoyable service was held. Tonight's theme will be "Profit and Loss," and the service, so says Rev. Charles Fox Davis, "will be a test as to how many umbrellas and raincoats there are in the homes as well as a proof of the deep interest spiritually which the services have made on the congregation." Service will commence at 7:45. The special meetings will be brought to a close next Sunday evening.

## The World's Best Climate

is not entirely free from disease, on the high elevations fevers prevail, while on the lower levels malaria is encountered to a greater or less extent, according to altitude. To overcome climate afflictions lassitude, malaria, jaundice, biliousness, fever and ague, and general debility, the most effective remedy is Electric Bitters, the great alternative and blood purifier; the antidote for every form of bodily weakness, nervousness, and insomnia. Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store. Price 50c.

## Republican State Convention

The call for the next republican state convention has been issued. The convention will meet in St. Paul July 1, and the county conventions will be held on June 25. The number of delegates will be the same as the last convention, 1143 of which the Sixth district will have 136, and Crow Wing county 12. The officers to be nominated are: governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general, two members of railroad and warehouse commission. The preliminaries regarding the date of the county conventions, etc., are fixed by the state committee, the county committees fixing the date for the caucuses and designating the place.

## GUY STRATTON GUILTY

Former Brainerdite Convicted of Manslaughter Because Automobile Ran Over and Killed Child

According to newspaper clippings sent to parties in this city, Guy C. Stratton, formerly of this city, was convicted in Seattle last week of manslaughter. The penalty is from one to twenty years in the penitentiary and a fine. There is no escape from imprisonment, if finally sentenced. A motion for a new trial has been made and unless this is granted an appeal is practically certain.

## Try This For Dessert

Dissolve one package of any flavored JELL-O in one pint of boiling water. When partly congealed, beat until light adding one cup whipped cream and six crushed macaroons. Whip all together thoroughly and pour it into a mould or bowl. When cool, it will jellyify and may be served with whipped cream or any good pudding sauce. The JELL-O costs 10c per package and can be obtained at any good grocer's.

## MARTIN WICKLUND ARRAIGNED

Grand Jury Brought in Indictment Against Him Charging Carnal Knowledge Tuesday

## TOOK 24 HOURS TIME TO PLEAD

District Court is Hearing the Case of Gilbert vs. Reed Before a Jury

The grand jury returned one indictment yesterday afternoon and Martin Wicklund was arraigned on the charge of having carnal knowledge of a female child under 14 years of age. He took the statutory time to plead, which is 24 hours, and will undoubtedly plead tomorrow morning, immediately after the convening of court.

The court today has been engaged in the trial of the case of H. S. Gilbert, vs. E. W. Reed, involving the replevin of farm machinery for the purpose of foreclosure of a chattel mortgage.

The grand jury completed its labors this afternoon and returned eight more indictments, none of which have been made public as yet.

## Valued Same as Gold

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 25c.

## Rearrangement of Service

The Little Falls Transcript says a rearrangement of the service for the railway postal clerks on the line running from Morris to International Falls has been ordered and will be put in effect on May 27. Clerk Harvey Bass will resume his old run from Morris to Little Falls and return, daily except Sunday. The other four clerks on the run will work week on and then lay off a week, the run starting from this city and covering the entire distance of 229 miles to International Falls. The new arrangement is much more satisfactory to the clerks than the present service which started three clerks at Morris, their run ending at Bemidji, a distance of 216 miles, and two clerks starting from Bemidji, their run ending at International Falls, a distance of 107 miles; the clerks of both divisions working two weeks and laying off one, which is not as desirable as the week on and then week off service that is gained by the new service ordered. Clerk Fernholz, who has been running from Bemidji to International Falls, will move his family to Little Falls in the near future. Clerk Pennie will continue to make his home at Villard, Nash at Brainerd and Bartos at Glenwood.

## School Report

Report of school district No. 46, Crow Wing county, Minnesota:  
Pupils enrolled.....24  
Pupils neither absent nor tardy.....6  
Average attendance for month.....18  
Those neither absent nor tardy were: Arnold Enius, Lizzie Gilbert, Nina Blomberg, Helen Gilbert, Lillian Markwardt, Grace Gilbert.  
Visitors for the month were: Miss Birdie Bacon, Brainerd, Minn., Miss Maudie Bacon, Brainerd, Rev. Parish, Deerwood, Gust Olander, Klondyke, Annie Gilbert, Klondyke.  
FLORENCE E. CALKINS, Teacher.

## SPECIAL TRAIN TO INTERNAT'L FALLS

Minnesota & International Railroad will Run Special Train Memorial Day

## AND SATURDAYS THEREAFTER

Saturday Night and Sunday Service to be Tried During June and July

W. H. Gemmell, general manager of the Minnesota & International railway company, announces that in order to attract the sportsmen and those who enjoy summer outings of the twin cities to the many fine lakes along his line where good fishing abounds, he has arranged to have a sleeping car attached to Northern Pacific train No. 9 leaving St. Paul Friday, May 29, at 6:10 p. m., and Minneapolis at 6:40 p. m., connecting at Brainerd with train No. 13 from Duluth and running special to International Falls on the following schedule:

Sat. May 30	Mon. June 1
Lv.	Ar.
12:05 a. m. Brainerd	3:55 p. m.
12:29 " Merrifield	3:24 "
12:40 " Hubert	3:12 "
12:45 " Nisswa	3:06 "
12:59 " Pequot	2:53 "
1:06 " Jenkins	2:46 "
1:17 " Pine River	2:34 "
1:38 " Backus	2:12 "
1:54 " Hackensack	1:54 "
2:26 " Walker	1:24 "
2:42 " Kabekona	1:06 "
2:55 " Laporte	12:54 a. m.
3:40 ar Bemidji	12:05 a. m.
4:10 " Turtle River	11:45 p. m.
4:25 " Tenstrike	11:03 "
4:43 " Blackduck	10:45 "
5:18 " Northome	10:10 "
6:30 " Big Falls	9:00 "
6:33 " Grandfalls	8:57 "
7:16 " Littlefork	8:14 "
8:00 a. m. Internat'l Falls	7:30 p. m.

connecting with No. 14 for Duluth and sleeping car going through to Minneapolis and St. Paul Monday morning, reaching those points at 10:00 and 10:30 a. m. respectively.

This arrangement will enable those who get a holiday on Decoration Day to spend Saturday and Sunday in Northern Minnesota's famous lake region, and return to business on Monday morning.

As an experiment it is proposed to run such a train Saturday nights out of the twin cities during June and July to see if enough travel will be attracted from these cities and from Brainerd and other points on the Minnesota & International railway to make the service a paying one.

Mr. Gemmell stated he believed, when the people knew of the fine fishing resorts within easy reach of the Minnesota & International line and of this new train service, the trains would be well filled and that he would be warranted in continuing the service during the summer months.

This arrangements of trains will be especially advantageous to Brainerd sportsmen and there is every probability that this train will be well patronized, not only on May 30th, but every Sunday during the summer season as Brainerdites love to visit the lakes.

## \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## OFF FOR ALASKA

Mrs. Jay Bachelder and Little One Left Today to Make Their Home in Far Away City of Nome

Mrs. Jay Bachelder and baby left this noon for Seattle, where they will take a steamer about the first of June for Nome, Alaska, to join Mr. Bachelder and make that city their future home. Mrs. Bachelder has lived in Brainerd a long time, having grown up here and has a host of relatives and friends who are loath to see her leave. Mr. Bachelder, who went there last year is prospering, however, and expects to make that his permanent home and of course the family wishes to be united. The best wishes of THE DISPATCH and a host of friends go with them. T. M. Reilly, father of Mrs. Bachelder and Miss Reilly, her sister, accompanied her as far as Staples.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA

### Coming Attractions

May 21—May Robson.  
May 25—Cupid at Vassar.  
June 1—High School Commencement.  
June 2—The Ham Tree.  
June 3—Campbell Bros. Circus.

### The Burgomaster

The production of the Burgomaster at the opera house last night was a good one despite the fact that Ruth White, the leading lady, left the company at St. Cloud and went to the city to await their arrival there. The performance was greeted with a good house and gave general satisfaction.

### May Robson

"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," in which May Robson appears at the opera house this evening, is one of the best comedies on the American boards today and all indications are that it will have a good house.

### Devil and the Storm

In spite of the storm last night one of the best meetings of the series was enjoyed at the Baptist church. Mr. McKinney spoke on the subject announced. It was one of the best sermons yet preached. Mr. Davis a "Lumber Jack" evangelist, was present and gave short talk that for pith and point was indescribable. The subject this evening is "Two Questions Answered." Tomorrow evening the subject will be "St. Peter and the Keys." Scripture lesson from Donay Bible.

### Attention Comrades and Friends

Pap Thomas Post, G. A. R., will hold an open meeting at I. O. O. F. hall, on Saturday evening, May 23, to make final Memorial Day arrangements. All ex-soldiers, Sons of Veterans and all citizens, who feel interested in this matter are cordially invited to be present.

GEORGE W. HEALEY,  
Post Commander.

### Union Temperance Meeting

A union temperance meeting of all the Scandinavian churches and the Good Templars lodge will be held in the Swedish Baptist church tonight, Thursday, May 21st. The speakers will be Rev. C. Hougstad, pastor of the Norwegian-Danish Evangelical Lutheran church and Rev. Oscar Grefberg, pastor of the Swedish M. E. church.

We expect a great gathering. All the Scandinavians of this city are requested to meet with us.

### Minnesota Public Buildings

The Congressional Record of May 15 gives a list of appropriations for public buildings included in the bill passed by the house of representatives on Thursday. The following sums were voted for expenditures in Minnesota: Austin \$50,000, Brainerd \$45,000, Rochester \$50,000, Faribault \$50,000, Virginia \$60,000, Willmar \$50,000, Moorhead \$5,000.

### To My Patrons

I have repurchased the barbershop in the basement of the Walker block and will be glad to see all my old patrons and friends. Mr. Hagelin will remain with me. Again asking your patronage, I remain,

Yours truly,  
H. A. ROLLINS.

### Advertised Letters

The following advertised letters at the postoffice, Brainerd, Minn., May 22, 1908. When called for say "advertised."

Cossette, John Johnson, Inger Miss  
Carville, Ellen M. Merritt, Frank  
Dickinson, Mrs. Pearce, A. A.  
W. D. Peterson, P. H.  
Feno, Bert Mrs. Robison, Mrs. Alie  
Green, Clarence Wanigan, Elis  
Heath, Mrs. Addie Heath, Chas. E.  
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

### STUDENT BADLY WOUNDED

Policeman Shoots Son of a Prominent Lawyer.

New York, May 21.—Robert H. Cook, a first year student in the school of sciences at Columbia university, and said to be the son of a prominent lawyer of Albany, N. Y., was shot in the head and, it is feared, fatally wounded by a policeman.

Howard P. Cole, a companion of Cook, was arrested after Cook had been shot. Cole is also a Columbia student and both young men were charged with attempted burglary. The police allege that the students were detected in attempting to tear down a sign from a refreshment booth on Riverside drive. Policeman John A. Hurlens saw them and says that the men ran upon his approach. He said that he ordered them to stop and Cole obeyed. Cook continued to run and the policeman fired into the air. After a chase of two blocks, Hurlens, finding that he was losing ground, again ordered Cook to stop, and then fired on him. The bullet entered Cook's head back of the ear. At first it was thought that he had but slightly wounded him and it was so announced. Later at the hospital an examination showed that the bullet entered the brain. Cook lapsed into unconsciousness during the examination.

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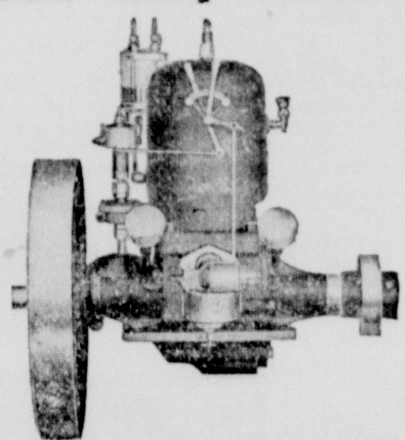
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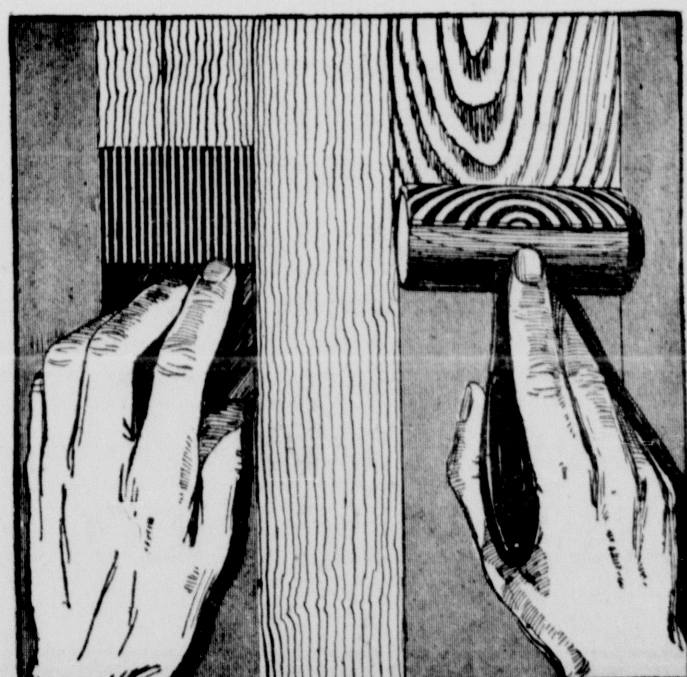


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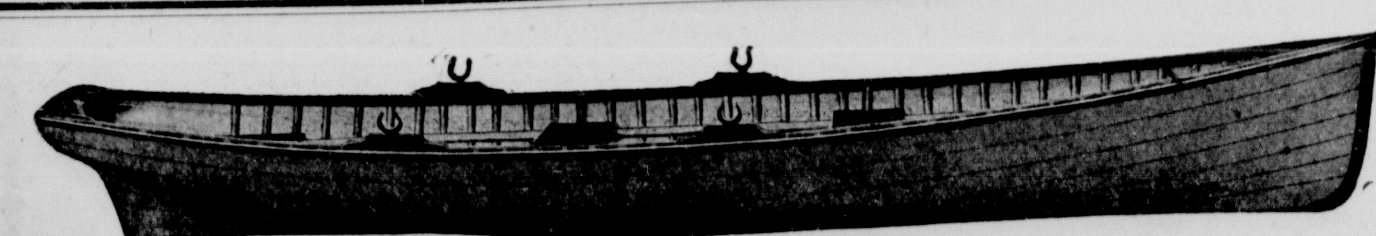
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# BANKERS TO VISIT BRAINERD

## Sixth District Group of Bankers will Meet Here Tuesday and Wednesday Next

### TO BANQUET AT RANSFORD

#### Interesting Program has Been Prepared—Cong. Lindbergh to be a Speaker

The committee of local bankers, consisting of Geo. D. LaBar, M. T. Dunn and F. A. Farrar, have things pretty well lined up for the meeting of the Sixth District group of bankers which will be held in this city next Tuesday and Wednesday.

The convention will open Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 the address of welcome being delivered by Mayor R. R. Wise, with a response by W. A. Shaw, president of the Clearwater State Bank. The annual address of the president of the association, an address on currency legislation, by Congressman Lindbergh, and addresses by W. E. Lee, of Long Prairie, and Fred I. Kent, of the First National of Chicago, will occupy the afternoon.

In the evening there will be a banquet given the visitors at the Ransford hotel. One of the committee states that owing to the limited capacity of the dining room it will be impossible to extend invitations to any of the local people except those who take part in the program.

Wednesday morning there will be a short business session after which the visitors will be taken through the Northern Pacific shops, by Superintendent J. P. Anderson.

### A Californian's Luck

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store.

### RAIN OR FAIR

#### Evangelist Daniels is Announced to Preach Tonight on the Question of "Profit and Loss"

A meeting is announced tonight at the Methodist Episcopal church, rain or shine, the service to find out just how many fair weather members there are in the church and community. At the service conducted last evening the pastor and several strangers gave short addresses and an enjoyable service was held. Tonight's theme will be "Profit and Loss," and the service, so says Rev. Charles Fox Davis, "will be a test as to how many umbrellas and raincoats there are in the homes as well as a proof of the deep interest spiritually which the services have made on the congregation." Service will commence at 7:45. The special meetings will be brought to a close next Sunday evening.

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### Republican State Convention

The call for the next republican state convention has been issued. The convention will meet in St. Paul July 1, and the county conventions will be held on June 25. The number of delegates will be the same as the last convention, 1143 of which the Sixth district will have 136, and Crow Wing county 12. The officers to be nominated are: governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general, two members of railroad and warehouse commission. The preliminaries regarding the date of the county conventions, etc., are fixed by the state committee, the county committees fixing the date for the caucuses and designating the place.

Colds Colds

Ask your doctor if Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not just the right medicine for such cases. He knows all about it. Then follow his advice.

### GUY STRATTON GUILTY

#### Former Brainerdite Convicted of Manslaughter Because Automobile Ran Over and Killed Child

According to newspaper clippings sent to parties in this city, Guy C. Stratton, formerly of this city, was convicted in Seattle last week of manslaughter. The penalty is from one to twenty years in the penitentiary and a fine. There is no escape from imprisonment, if finally sentenced. A motion for a new trial has been made and unless this is granted an appeal is practically certain.

### Try This For Dessert

Dissolve one package of any flavored JELL-O in one pint of boiling water. When partly cooled, beat until light adding one cup whipped cream and six crushed macaroons. Whip all together thoroughly and pour it into a mold or bowl. When cool, it will jelly and may be served with whipped cream or any good pudding sauce. The JELL-O costs 10c per package and can be obtained at any food grocer's.

### MARTIN WICKLUND ARRAIGNED

#### Grand Jury Brought in Indictment Against Him Charging Carnal Knowledge Tuesday

### TOOK 24 HOURS TIME TO PLEAD

#### District Court is Hearing the Case of Gilbert vs. Reed Before a Jury

The grand jury returned one indictment yesterday afternoon and Martin Wicklund was arraigned on the charge of having carnal knowledge of a female child under 14 years of age. He took the statutory time to plead, which is 24 hours, and will undoubtedly plead tomorrow morning, immediately after the convening of court.

The court today has been engaged in the trial of the case of H. S. Gilbert, vs. E. W. Reed, involving the replevin of farm machinery for the purpose of foreclosure of a chattel mortgage.

The grand jury completed its labors this afternoon and returned eight more indictments, none of which have been made public as yet.

### Valued Same as Gold

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at H. P. Dunn's drug store. 25c.

### Rearrangement of Service

The Little Falls Transcript says a rearrangement of the service for the railway postal clerks on the line running from Morris to International Falls has been ordered and will be put in effect on May 27. Clerk Harvey Bass will resume his old run from Morris to Little Falls and return, daily except Sunday. The other four clerks on the run will work week on and then lay off a week, the run starting from this city and covering the entire distance of 229 miles to International Falls. The new arrangement is much more satisfactory to the clerks than the present service which started three clerks at Morris, their run ending at Bemidji, a distance of 216 miles, and two clerks starting from Bemidji, their run ending at International Falls, a distance of 107 miles; the clerks of both divisions working two weeks and laying off one, which is not as desirable as the week on and then week off service that is gained by the new service ordered. Clerk Fernholz, who has been running from Bemidji to International Falls, will move his family to Little Falls in the near future. Clerk Pennie will continue to make his home at Villard, Nash at Brainerd and Bartos at Glenwood.

### School Report

Report of school district No. 46, Crow Wing county, Minnesota:

Pupils enrolled.....24  
Pupils neither absent nor tardy.....6  
Average attendance for month.....18

Those neither absent nor tardy were: Arnold Enius, Lizzie Gilbert, Nina Blomberg, Helen Gilbert, Lillian Markward, Grace Gilbert.

Visitors for the month were: Miss Birdie Bacon, Brainerd, Minn., Miss Maudie Bacon, Brainerd, Rev. Parish, Deerwood, Gust Olander, Klondyke, Annie Gilbert, Klondyke.

FLORENCE E. CALKINS, Teacher.

### SPECIAL TRAIN TO INTERNAT'L FALLS

#### Minnesota & International Railroad will Run Special Train Memorial Day AND SATURDAYS THEREAFTER

#### Saturday Night and Sunday Service to be Tried During June and July

W. H. Gemmell, general manager of the Minnesota & International railway company, announces that in order to attract the sportsmen and those who enjoy summer outings of the twin cities to the many fine lakes along his line where good fishing abounds, he has arranged to have a sleeping car attached to Northern Pacific train No. 9 leaving St. Paul Friday, May 29, at 6:10 p. m., and Minneapolis at 6:40 p. m., connecting at Brainerd with train No. 13 from Duluth and running special to International Falls on the following schedule:

Sat. May 30	Mon. June 1
Lv.	Ar.
12:05 a. m. Brainerd.....	3:55 p. m.
12:29 " Merrifield.....	3:24
12:40 " Hubert.....	3:12
12:45 " Nisswa.....	3:06
12:59 " Pequot.....	2:53
1:06 " Jenkins.....	2:46
1:17 " Pine River.....	2:34
1:38 " Backus.....	2:12
1:54 " Hackensack.....	1:54
2:26 " Walker.....	1:24
2:42 " Kabecona.....	1:06
2:55 " Laporte.....	12:54
3:40 a. m. Bemidji.....	12:05 a. m.
3:45 " ".....	11:45 p. m.
4:10 " Turtle River.....	11:18
4:25 " Tenstrike.....	11:03
4:43 " Blackduck.....	10:45
5:18 " Northome.....	10:10
6:30 " Big Falls.....	9:00
6:33 " Grandfalls.....	8:57
7:16 " Littlefork.....	8:14
8:00 a. m. Internat'l Falls.....	7:30 p. m.

connecting with No. 14 for Duluth and sleeping car going through to Minneapolis and St. Paul Monday morning, reaching those points at 10:00 and 10:30 a. m. respectively.

This arrangement will enable those who get a holiday on Decoration Day to spend Saturday and Sunday in Northern Minnesota's famous lake region, and return to business on Monday morning.

As an experiment it is proposed to run such a train Saturday nights out of the twin cities during June and July to see if enough travel will be attracted from these cities and from Brainerd and other points on the Minnesota & International railway to make the service a paying one.

Mr. Gemmell stated he believed, when the people knew of the fine fishing resorts within easy reach of the Minnesota & International line and of this new train service, the trains would be well filled and that he would be warranted in continuing the service during the summer months.

This arrangements of trains will be especially advantageous to Brainerd sportsmen and there is every probability that this train will be well patronized, not only on May 30th, but every Sunday during the summer season as Brainerdites love to visit the lakes.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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### OFF FOR ALASKA

#### Mrs. Jay Bachelder and Little One Left Today to Make Their Home in Far Away City of Nome

Mrs. Jay Bachelder and baby left this noon for Seattle, where they will take a steamer about the first of June for Nome, Alaska, to join Mr. Bachelder and make that city their future home. Mrs. Bachelder has lived in Brainerd a long time, having grown up here and has a host of relatives and friends who are loath to see her leave. Mr. Bachelder, who went there last year is prospering, however, and expects to make that his permanent home and of course the family wishes to be united. The best wishes of THE DISPATCH and a host of friends go with them. T. M. Reilly, father of Mrs. Bachelder and Miss Reilly, her sister, accompanied her as far as Staples.

### MUSIC AND DRAMA

#### Coming Attractions

May 21—May Robson.  
May 25—Cupid at Vassar.  
June 1—High School Commencement.  
June 2—The Ham/Tree.  
June 3—Campbell Bros. Circus.

#### The Burgomaster

The production of the Burgomaster at the opera house last night was a good one despite the fact that Ruth White, the leading lady, left the company at St. Cloud and went to the city to await their arrival there. The performance was greeted with a good house and gave general satisfaction.

#### May Robson

"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," in which May Robson appears at the opera house this evening, is one of the best comedies on the American boards today and all indications are that it will have a good house.

#### Devil and the Storm

In spite of the storm last night one of the best meetings of the series was enjoyed at the Baptist church. Mr. McKinney spoke on the subject announced. It was one of the best sermons yet preached. Mr. Davis a "Lumber Jack" evangelist, was present and gave short talk that for pith and point was indescribable. The subject this evening is "Two Questions Answered." Tomorrow evening the subject will be "St. Peter and the Keys." Scripture lesson from Donay Bible.

#### Attention Comrades and Friends

Pap Thomas Post, G. A. R., will hold an open meeting at I. O. O. F. hall, on Saturday evening, May 23, to make final Memorial Day arrangements. All ex-soldiers, Sons of Veterans and all citizens, who feel interested in this matter are cordially invited to be present.

GEORGE W. HEALEY,  
Post Bommander.

#### Union Temperance Meeting

A union temperance meeting of all the Scandinavian churches and the Good Templars lodge will be held in the Swedish Baptist church tonight, Thursday, May 21st. The speakers will be Rev. C. Hougstad, pastor of the Norwegian-Danish Evangelical Lutheran church and Rev. Oscar Grefberg, pastor of the Swedish M. E. church.

We expect a great gathering. All the Scandinavians of this city are requested to meet with us.

#### Minnesota Public Buildings

The Congressional Record of May 15 gives a list of appropriations for public buildings included in the bill passed by the house of representatives on Thursday. The following sums were voted for expenditures in Minnesota: Austin \$50,000, Brainerd \$45,000, Rochester \$50,000, Faribault \$50,000, Virginia \$60,000, Willmar \$50,000, Moorhead \$5,000.

#### To My Patrons

I have repurchased the barbershop in the basement of the Walker block and will be glad to see all my old patrons and friends. Mr. Hagelin will remain with me. Again asking your patronage, I remain,

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#### Advertised Letters

The following advertised letters at the postoffice, Brainerd, Minn., May 22, 1908. When called for say "advertised."

Cossette, John Johnson, Inger Miss  
Carville, Ellen M. Merritt, Frank  
Dickinson, Mrs. Pearce, A. A.  
W. D. Peterson, P. H.  
Feno, Bert Mrs. Robison, Mrs. Alie  
Green, Clarence Wanigan, Elis  
Heath, Mrs. Addie Heath, Chas. E.  
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

#### STUDENT BADLY WOUNDED

##### Policeman Shoots Son of a Prominent Lawyer.

New York, May 21.—Robert H. Cook, a first year student in the school of sciences at Columbia university, and said to be the son of a prominent lawyer of Albany, N. Y., was shot in the head and, it is feared, fatally wounded by a policeman.

Howard P. Cole, a companion of Cook, was arrested after Cook had been shot. Cole is also a Columbia student and both young men were charged with attempted burglary. The police allege that the students were detected in attempting to tear down a sign from a refreshment booth on Riverside drive. Policeman John A. Hurlens saw them and says that the men ran upon his approach. He said that he ordered them to stop and Cole obeyed. Cook continued to run and the policeman fired into the air. After a chase of two blocks, Hurlens, finding that he was losing ground, again ordered Cook to stop, and then fired on him. The bullet entered Cook's head back of the ear. At first it was thought that he had but slightly wounded him and it was so announced. Later at the hospital an examination showed that the bullet entered the brain. Cook lapsed into unconsciousness during the examination.

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"While the governor of this the greatest state of the Union is using all his personal influence to end horse racing and make the thoroughbred an animal of the past Japan is preparing for the thoroughbred and racing."

"Japan has learned and all cavalry officers know that an efficient cavalry in a country is dependent upon a plentiful supply of thoroughbred horses. Realizing Japan's need in this respect, the Japanese government has sent scores of men to this country to take positions upon breeding farms and study the racing situation. I have four or five Japanese now upon my farm who have been sent by their government to study the best means of obtaining for their country the proper kind of horses to supply the cavalry need. These men realize that our system of racing makes possible the raising of thoroughbreds, and I expect to see Japan adopt racing within another year or two. Already I have sold more than one dozen stallions to Japan, and other breeders have also made sales."

"A cavalry horse must have a thoroughbred strain in him. Work horses or family horses will not do, and, as I have said, the breeding of thoroughbreds will stop with the stopping of racing. A thoroughbred as a yearling costs his owner at least \$500 for feed and special care. This expense could not be met by any breeder if it was not for the outlet afforded by racing."

"The high prices obtained for the cream of the thoroughbreds for racing purposes makes possible the raising of the hundreds of other thoroughbreds that pass into general use. I paid \$70,000 for the horse Watercrest at a public sale. August Belmont paid \$125,000 for the English racer Rock Sand, and the Newcastle stable paid \$75,000 for Adam. The Argentine Republic paid \$130,000 for Ormonde."

"The thoroughbred farms of the country represent hundreds of millions of dollars. In my district in Kentucky alone the breeding farms represent \$25,000,000. It is my belief that all these farms will be given up and turned to less expensive purposes if racing is killed."

"One thing I would like to say, and that is that there has been no fund raised to attempt to influence legislation in favor of racing. If an effort had been made to raise a fund of any kind for legitimate expenses, legal advice or anything of the sort, I know I would have been one of the first men asked to contribute. I have not been asked to give one dollar, and so I feel positive there is no fund of any kind, let alone a corruption fund, in existence."

"Despite this knowledge I read every day in some newspapers of a fund of hundreds of thousands of dollars being used to influence legislation. I frankly declare such a fund to be a myth."

"If Governor Hughes really wishes to strike at gambling he will be obliged to begin with almost every private house. No man or woman can go out to dinner nowadays without promptly being asked to take a hand at bridge. The losses of a night at bridge will be greater than the person would lose with a week's constant ill fortune at a race track."

"There will always be gambling of some kind. There is less of it at a race track than in many other ways. Men and women like to tempt fortune."

"As I said, I do not believe that racing will be stopped. If the governor should secure his wish, however, it would be safe to say that a wave of gambling would sweep over the state the like of which has never been seen. The men and women forbidden by law to openly tempt fortune would swarm to hidden places. It is impossible to legislate out personal inclinations."

"The farming districts are not opposed to horse racing. The sentiment among the farmers undoubtedly favors the game. They know how they profit by the demand for horses and the benefits to their country fairs."

"It would be a severe blow to the country at large if Governor Hughes should be able because of his personal wishes to abolish racing. The thoroughbred would disappear quickly, and a sudden call on the nation, necessitating the use of horses, would find us behind all the civilized nations of the earth."

"I do not know of another civilized nation on earth where the officials do not recognize this fact. All other civilized nations encourage racing and provide in one way or another for the universal desire of spectators of racing to make their wagers."

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